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Title: NEMATICIDAL FATTY ACID AND FATTY ACID ESTER  
RELATED COMPOUNDS

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date  
under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

|               | <u>Pages</u>                  |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| Specification | 58                            |
| Claims        | 14                            |
| Abstract      | 1                             |
| Declaration   | [To be Filed at a Later Date] |
| Drawings      | 9                             |

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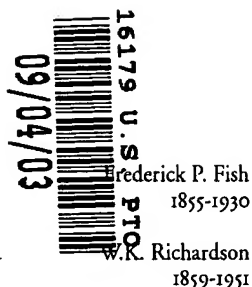
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This application is a continuation-in-part (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/187,683, filed on July 1, 2002, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/090,527, filed on March 4, 2002, and also claims priority to PCT/US03/06, filed on March 4, 2003. The disclosure of the prior application is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

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| Basic filing fee                             | \$375  |
| Total claims in excess of 20 times \$9       | \$693  |
| Independent claims in excess of 3 times \$42 | \$168  |
| Fee for multiple dependent claims            | \$140  |
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